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TAGS: PINT, PEPER, PINS, PR
SUBJECT: GOVERNMENT TURNS UP BLACK PROPAGANDA VOLUME

REF SANTO DOMINGO 2740

1. THE GOVERNMENT'S "DISINFORMATION" CAMPAIGN CONTINUES BY ALL MEANS AT ITS'S DISPOSAL, WITH THE THEME SEEMING TO JELL AROUND THE ALLEGATION THAT BACAUSE OF A SUPPOSEDLY HIGH ABSTETION RATE, THERE WAS FRAUD. BONILLA AYBAR, FOR EXAMPLE, NOW BROADCASTING ON GOVERNMENT TV NETWORK, EXPLOITS NYT'S SUNDAY REPORT BY JON NORDHEIMER IN WHICH PRD'S PENA GOMEZ OUTLINES HIS "PLANS" TO IMPOSE "SOCIALISM" ON THE DR, MEANING IN BONILLA'S LEXICON "COMMUNISM" (DETILS SEPTTEL). IN FACT, CAMPAIGN TAKING ON INCREASINGLY HEAVY ANTI-COMMUNIST SLANT.

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2. GOVERNMENT'S RUMOR MILL SEEMS TO BE GETTING TO SOME PRD LEADERS; THEY DISPATCHED RUNNER TO EMBASSY THIS AFTERNOON TO INQUIRE ABOUT REPORTS CIRCULATING IN TOWN THAT "THE PENTAGON" IS SENDING HIGH EMISSARY TO GIVE DOMINICAN MILITARY GREEN LIGHT TO TRY ANOTHER "GOLPE." THIS RECALLS OLD STORY, WHICH HAS NEVER DIED IN THE PRD MYTHOLOGY, THAT "PENTAGON" GAVE THE NOD FOR JUAN BOSCH'S OVERTHROW IN 1963, DESPITE THE BEST EFFORTS OF PRESIDENT

KENNEDY TO SAVE HIM.

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